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Mortality statistics.

Mayaguez, 122 deaths—8 due to uncinariasis, 4 to anæmia, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 5 to infantile tetanus, 3 to malarial fever, 21 to tuberculosis, 6 to bronchitis, 3 to pernicious malarial fever, and 1 to enteric fever.

Arecibo, 75 deaths—9 due to uncinariasis, 9 to anæmia, 4 to tuberculosis, 17 to infantile tetanus, 2 to pneumonia, 4 to bronchitis, 2 to paludism, and 1 to enteric fever.

Aguadilla, 45 deaths—2 due to uncinariasis, 5 to pneumonia, 10 to chronic enteritis, and 3 to tuberculosis.

Humacao, 83 deaths—18 due to anæmia, 1 to diphtheria, 5 to pneumonia, and 4 to tuberculosis.

Fajardo, 71 deaths—6 due to broncho-pneumonia, 22 to enteritis, 3 to enteric fever, 3 to tuberculosis, 1 to diphtheria, and 2 to cholerine.

Arroyo, 11 deaths—1 due to tuberculosis and 1 to infantile tetanus.

Mortality statistics of San Juan for January, 1906—Causes of death.

Anæmia	1	Bronchitis	1
Tuberculosis	16	Nephritis	5
Entero-colitis	11	Gastro-enteritis	3
Enteritis	16	All other causes	43
Rickets	6		
Dysentery	1	Total number of deaths	103

Report from Ponce—Transactions of service.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Ferrer-Torres reports through Chief Quarantine Officer King, February 3, as follows:

Summary of transactions of service during the month of January, 1906.

Vessels inspected	14
Vessels in quarantine	7
Bill of health issued	27
Passengers inspected:	
Incoming	62
In transit	684
Crew inspected	804
Passengers detained in quarantine	16
Immigrants inspected	20
Rejection	0
Pieces of baggage disinfected	0

RUSSIA.

Report from St. Petersburg—Summary of plague in the province of Astrakhan.

The following is received from Ambassador Meyer, under date of January 20:

There have been no fresh cases of plague in the province of Astrakhan since December 25, 1905.